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Table 1: Economy

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	82	73	58	63	82
Unemployment rate	%	6.3	5.1	3.8	4.0	5.3
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	578	497	546	554	-
Taxable individuals	no.	1 123	1 012	1 066	1 116	-
Taxable income	$m	39.0	36.7	40.5	43.1	-
Average taxable income	$	34 719	36 308	37 965	38 604	-
Net tax	$m	6.9	6.9	7.6	8.0	-
Average net tax	$	6 160	6 818	7 122	7 172	-
Average net tax ratio	%	17.7	18.8	18.8	18.6	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS * - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	1 181	1 049	1 077	1 097	-
Wage and salary income	$m	34.7	33.1	34.9	36.7	-
Total income	$m	37.4	35.2	37.9	39.8	-
Average wage and salary income	$	29 406	31 538	32 429	33 431	-
Average total income	$	31 630	33 522	35 170	36 259	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX * - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	86	77	85	85	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	177	160	162	164	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	147	129	133	135	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	112	109	105	112	-
Males - 55 years and over	no.	51	43	55	55	-
Males - Total	no.	573	518	540	551	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	115	108	96	103	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	181	159	171	162	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	166	136	130	126	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	113	102	108	115	-
Females - 55 years and over	no.	33	28	32	40	-
Females - Total	no.	608	533	537	546	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	201	185	181	188	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	358	319	333	326	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	313	265	263	261	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	225	211	213	227	-
Persons - 55 years and over	no.	84	71	87	95	-
Persons - Total	no.	1 181	1 051	1 077	1 097	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION * - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	-	59	56	57	-
Professionals	no.	-	250	221	195	-
Associate Professionals	no.	-	93	103	100	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	-	80	87	81	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	-	8	8	10	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	246	231	245	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	-	57	52	50	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	82	85	89	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	-	149	163	192	-
Not Stated	no.	-	56	71	80	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	-	1 080	1 077	1 099	-
PERSONS WITH OWN UNINCORPORATED BUSINESS * - year ended 30 June						
Males						
Males with own unincorporated business	no.	71	67	67	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	2.2	2.1	2.2	-	-
Total income	$m	2.3	2.3	2.4	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	30 392	31 463	32 391	-	-
Average total income	$	32 814	33 854	35 886	-	-
Females						
Females with own unincorporated business	no.	20	20	15	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	0.9	0.8	0.7	-	-
Total income	$m	0.7	0.7	0.5	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	42 912	39 735	44 562	-	-
Average total income	$	36 712	33 420	36 415	-	-

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Persons						
Persons with own unincorporated business	no.	91	87	82	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	3.0	2.9	2.8	-	-
Total income	$m	3.1	2.9	3.0	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	33 143	33 364	34 618	-	-
Average total income	$	33 670	33 754	35 983	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESS ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	177	138	126	120
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	-	21	21	27	33
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	-	21	33	33	39
Total businesses	no.	-	219	192	186	192
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	42	33	36
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	15	3	0
Total business entries	no.	-	-	57	36	36
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	51	66	33
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	0	6	3
Total business exits	no.	-	-	51	72	36
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	-	81	81	69	63
Mining	no.	-	0	0	0	0
Manufacturing	no.	-	6	6	6	6
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	-	0	0	0	0
Construction	no.	-	36	21	18	30
Wholesale trade	no.	-	6	3	6	3
Retail trade	no.	-	24	21	24	21
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	-	6	9	9	9
Transport and storage	no.	-	24	15	15	18
Communication services	no.	-	3	3	3	3
Finance and insurance	no.	-	0	3	3	3
Property and business services	no.	-	21	24	18	24
Education	no.	-	0	0	0	0
Health and community services	no.	-	0	0	0	0
Cultural and recreational services	no.	-	6	6	6	3
Personal and other services	no.	-	6	0	9	9
Total businesses	no.	-	219	192	186	192

* These data relate to persons for whom this source of income was their principal source of income for the relevant financial year

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		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June						
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	184	177	173	169	190
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	191	188	190	191	195
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	201	203	194	185	197
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	145	148	149	144	147
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	114	109	113	112	129
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	139	140	137	129	138
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	164	153	139	145	140
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	130	127	135	141	121
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	129	124	120	107	99
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	128	137	127	130	112
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	93	110	109	126	95
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	70	77	84	79	71
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	54	51	54	67	52
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	55	57	50	52	31
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	35	39	40	47	25
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	37	36	32	34	16
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	24	25	22	31	4
Males - 85 years and over	no.	18	23	26	30	8
Males - Total	no.	1 911	1 924	1 894	1 919	1 770
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	180	176	185	192	201
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	173	178	164	164	154
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	172	182	185	180	175
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	143	139	137	136	148
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	150	154	161	155	142
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	162	154	158	169	175
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	144	143	153	144	136
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	119	124	106	113	117
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	129	129	130	116	96
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	107	107	106	104	108
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	91	90	91	92	93
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	45	48	52	63	68
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	45	40	40	38	35
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	27	30	28	31	29
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	33	32	30	26	20
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	22	19	20	25	27
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	17	12	10	13	12
Females - 85 years and over	no.	18	21	23	22	10
Females - Total	no.	1 777	1 778	1 779	1 783	1 746
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	364	353	358	361	391
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	364	366	354	355	349
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	373	385	379	365	372
Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	288	287	286	280	295
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	264	263	274	267	271
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	301	294	295	298	313
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	308	296	292	289	276
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	249	251	241	254	238
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	258	253	250	223	195
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	235	244	233	234	220
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	184	200	200	218	188
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	115	125	136	142	139
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	99	91	94	105	87
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	82	87	78	83	60
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	68	71	70	73	45
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	59	55	52	59	43
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	41	37	32	44	16
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	36	44	49	52	18
Persons - Total	no.	3 688	3 702	3 673	3 702	3 516
POPULATION DENSITY - at 30 June						
Population density	persons/km^2	-	-	-	-	4.0
INDIGENOUS POPULATION - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population	%	-	-	-	-	73.7
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006						
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-	-	-	0.5
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-	-	-	0.4
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.0

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Born in Americas	%	-	-	-	-	0.3
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Total born overseas	%	-	-	-	-	1.1
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population aged 15 years and over	%	-	-	-	-	54.1
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-	-	-	1.1
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	1.1
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-	-	-	9.0
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-	-	-	6.1
Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	18.9
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	16.6
Total with qualifications	%	-	-	-	-	52.8
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006						
Managers	%	-	-	-	-	10.8
Professionals	%	-	-	-	-	21.4
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-	-	-	10.2
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-	-	-	13.8
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-	-	-	16.7
Sales Workers	%	-	-	-	-	3.9
Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-	-	-	3.3
Labourers	%	-	-	-	-	15.3
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	4.5
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Lone person households	no.	-	-	-	-	199
Group households	no.	-	-	-	-	28
Family households	no.	-	-	-	-	590
Total households	no.	-	-	-	-	819
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	299
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	25
Couple families without children	no.	-	-	-	-	137
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	133
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	30
Other families	no.	-	-	-	-	14
Total families	no.	-	-	-	-	638
INTERNAL MIGRATION -Census 2006						
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	2 488
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	457
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	1 729
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	814
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006						
Major Cities	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Inner Regional	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Outer Regional	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Very Remote	%	-	-	-	-	100.0
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006						
Major Urban	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Other Urban	%	-	-	-	-	78.7
Bounded Locality	%	-	-	-	-	18.1
Rural Balance	%	-	-	-	-	3.2
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-	-	-	21.8
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	24.3
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	9.0
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	1.8
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-	-	-	9.0
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006						
Broadband connection	%	-	-	-	-	29.5
Dial-up connection	%	-	-	-	-	12.5
Other connection	%	-	-	-	-	1.2
Total internet connections	%	-	-	-	-	43.2

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BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December						
Births	no.	81	80	77	80	67
Total fertility rate	rate	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.6
Deaths	no.	19	19	16	26	21
Standardised death rate	rate	8.8	8.0	6.8	7.2	9.0

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Table 3: Industry

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June						
Private sector houses	no.	0	1	1	0	2
Total dwelling units	no.	3	18	3	8	11
Value of total residential building	$m	0.6	2.6	0.5	2.4	4.7
Value of total non-residential building	$m	1.2	4.5	0.1	3.3	1.7
Value of total building	$m	1.8	7.1	0.6	5.7	6.4
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June						
Passenger vehicles	no.	4	7	6	8	5
Other vehicles	no.	19	22	16	25	31
Total new motor vehicle sales	no.	23	29	23	33	36
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March						
Number by type of vehicle						
Passenger vehicles	no.	373	411	422	454	481
Campervans	no.	0	0	3	3	0
Light commercial vehicles	no.	237	247	231	234	265
Light rigid trucks	no.	9	8	7	7	9
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	33	33	32	34	34
Articulated trucks	no.	3	0	0	3	3
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	0	3	3	3	3
Buses	no.	23	29	33	35	38
Motorcycles	no.	17	14	15	12	17
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	698	744	744	780	847
Number per 1,000 population						
Passenger vehicles	no.	101	111	115	123	137
Campervans	no.	0	0	1	1	0
Light commercial vehicles	no.	64	67	63	63	75
Light rigid trucks	no.	2	2	2	2	3
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	9	9	9	9	10
Articulated trucks	no.	1	0	0	1	1
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	0	1	1	1	1
Buses	no.	6	8	9	9	11
Motorcycles	no.	5	4	4	3	5
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	189	201	203	211	241
Number by type of fuel						
Petrol - Leaded	no.	166	158	132	106	93
Petrol - Unleaded	no.	349	382	401	444	499
Diesel	no.	177	200	204	223	250
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	6	4	7	7	5
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June						
Total area						
Area of holding	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Total number						
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-	-	-	0
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-	-	-	0
Meat cattle	no.	-	-	-	-	0
Pigs	no.	-	-	-	-	0
HOUSE SALES - year ended 31 December						
Number of sales	no.	-	-	14	8	13
Prices - median value	$	-	-	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Prices - mean value	$	-	-	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.

* Agricultural commodities data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS cat no. 7125.0

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Table 4: Environment/Energy

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LAND AREA						
Land area	km^2	-	-	-	-	885.6

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